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MS PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: A PRINTER COMPRISING AN ENDLESS BELT AS AN INTERMEDIATE

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## Enclosed are:

$\boxtimes$	A specification consisting of Twenty-eight (28) pages '
$\boxtimes$	Six (6) sheet(s) formal drawings
	Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27
	Applicant does not claim priority
	Applicant claims the right of priority under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.55(a) based on Application No(s). 1020329 filed in The Netherlands on March 27, 2003.  Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto.  Certified copy(ies) will follow.



$\mathbb{Z}$	Executed Declaration ( $igtie Original igcip Photocopy)$
$\mathbb{Z}$	An assignment of the invention
	Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.76
	Preliminary Amendment
$\boxtimes$	Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and reference(s)
	Other:
	Applicant requests early publication - \$300.00 publication fee
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